

WESTERN LIBERAL.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 25, 1889.

An Invite.
Ho, ye, who attend our social hops,
And are of the torch-bearing strain,
Put on your best and wear like tops,
Old, young and loving swain.
The new fortnight since we posted
In the poetry of motion,
So come by all, aligned and hoed,
And try another lotion.
Pardon our rhyme for a muse-moment
To make hearts glad instead of sore,
To have breath of fun in the solemn intent
Of the "Melancholy Four."

Lordsburg, Saturday, Jan. 20, 1889.

The earth is covered with snow.
An infant child of Alex Arnett died yesterday.

Lordsburg offers a good opening for a shoemaker.

Dr. Davenport of Carlisle was in the city yesterday.

Lyons & Campbell are shipping beef cattle to Los Angeles.

A little—very little—more snow on Wednesday night.

John R. Phillips now navigates with the aid of a single cane.

Sheriff Whitehill has appointed Robert Black as deputy sheriff.

The dog poisoner has been getting in his work the past week.

Detective Bob Paul of the Southern Pacific system was in the city last Wednesday.

Queen Oza Ariza Amila has been telling the fortunes of the credulous Lordsburgers this week.

The Hon. Sam P. Cargenter has been elected chairman of the board of county commissioners.

Some Denning people have been greatly annoyed by a series of anonymous letters they have been receiving.

The "Melancholy Four" have issued invitations to a masquerade ball to be given on Washington's birthday.

John J. Bell and Frank J. Wright have joined teams and calculate to do a rushing law business at the county capital.

Ed Allis has recovered sufficiently from his crushed hand to take Engineer Hovey's place on the passenger run. Hovey taking a short vacation.

There has been a heavy California travel the past week and the new engine are unable to keep time. Last Saturday a vestibule train went west as a special.

Harry Turner, who was released from jail a few days ago, made an attempt to kill George Bowman, a well known colored man of this city. (Southwest Sentinel.)

T. J. Kutz dropped in last Saturday night to see his many old friends. He is now engaged in the policy business at Trinidad, Colorado, to which place he returned Thursday morning.

At the session of the grand jury, F. A. A. M. de Santa Fe last week A. H. Moorehead was elected grand master, and A. B. Laird was elected grand juror.

The next meeting of the grand jury will be at Las Cruces.

Richard and Walter Hart have been taking in the sights at Silver City the past week. The sights to be seen in the metropolis of Grant county are said to be particularly refreshing to Walter after his long sojourn in the office east.

The Pinos Altos Miner is happy because that camp is blessed with good slinging and a schoolhouse. A combination of a schoolhouse and a fine cutter, when the slinging is good, will make the heart of any editor rejoice—if he is married.

Married, at the residence of the bride's brother, at Fort Thomas, Lawrence V. McCourt and Miss Mary Leahy. The groom is a member of the firm of J. T. Fitzgerald & Co., Silver City, and the bride is a sister of Joe Leahy of this place.

Rev. W. H. Williams returned from Clifton yesterday and preached at the little church last night. Mr. Williams reports a very successful trip and says the probabilities are that a missionary will be put in to serve Lordsburg, Duncan and Clifton.

J. D. A. Smith has arrived at Clifton to take charge of the assay department of the Arizona copper company, taking the position lately vacated by John Cron. It is rumored that Mr. Smith falls under the same labor law and that there is a liability of trouble over the matter.

Thos. Foster, having a surfeit of the delightful weather of the north and east, has come back to New Mexico to enjoy the genuine article. Mr. Foster says he did not have the pleasure of calling on General Harrison and denies being a candidate for the governorship of the territory of New Mexico.

The "Melancholy Four" have a poetical invitation in the LIBERAL for the dancers to be present at Black's hall. In speaking of a previous invitation issued by this club the Enterprise intimates it was written by the editor of the LIBERAL. In fact it seems to think that the editor aforesaid is the only poet in town. This is a serious mistake. There are probably more poets in this town than in all the rest of Grant county put together. Nine were counted in the postoffice the other evening. Last night a club was thrown at a fare table and hit three poets. Even our tramps—

—lipped in numbers and the numbers came, at least there are any number of them.

THE LEGISLATURE.

We give below a brief resume of the proceedings of the legislature, noting the matters of general public interest and of interest to this section of the territory.

SENATE.

A bill was introduced to prohibit hog running at large.

A bill was introduced which provides that school trustees shall examine teachers before hiring or paying them.

A bill was introduced and passed the senate which is intended to abolish all lotteries, raffles, church fairs, etc., and places a heavy penalty on all persons who sell or advertise lottery tickets.

A bill was introduced authorizing counties to bond their outstanding warrants.

Mr. King introduced a bill to define libel and affix punishment therefor.

The senate bill in reference to district court clerks' fees provides that the clerk of the 1st district shall be paid \$2,500 per annum, the other clerks \$3,000 per annum. They shall collect fees and turn them over to the territorial treasurer, who shall make a special fund of them to pay court expenses. The clerk shall give a bond in the sum of \$1,000 for the collection of the fees.

Mr. King introduced a bill for the preservation of wild game and insectivorous birds.

Mr. King introduced a bill to facilitate the recovery of ore taken by theft or trespass, to regulate the disposition of the same, and for the better protection of the mine owners.

Mr. Rodey introduced a bill presenting the qualifications of probate judges, fixing their salaries and the time of holding their courts. The law provides that a probate judge must be a lawyer.

HOUSE.

A bill was introduced to establish a board of health.

A bill was introduced to prevent tippling. It provides that saloon keepers shall not sell less than a pint of liquor at a time.

The finance committee reported favorably the bill to restrict the powers of the county commissioners.

A bill was introduced to improve the election law and secure the secrecy of the ballot.

A bill was introduced to abolish the office of district attorney.

A bill was introduced providing that territorial and county warrants shall be recoverable for taxes.

There seems to be a strong temperance element in the house. Besides the bill to prevent tippling there have been introduced bills to make a retail liquor dealer's license \$500 and a wholesaler's \$200; to prevent gambling of all kinds; and one to make a retail dealer's license \$100 per month and providing he shall give bonds in the sum of \$200 for the preservation of order in his saloon.

NOTES.

The governor has vetoed several bills and some members get up and say "the governor knows little about needed legislation, and he knows absolutely nothing about the bill." I may it pass, notwithstanding the veto, and the nation is always carried by a two-thirds majority.

Council bill No. 35 provides for a constitutional convention. It provides that it shall consist of seventy members—three from Grant county—who shall be elected July 2nd; they shall meet at Santa Fe on September 3rd and there form a state constitution; they shall provide for the submission of the constitution to the people and for the election of state officers, a legislature and a congress; they shall not be in session more than thirty days and shall receive \$2 per day.

It is said that a bill has been prepared and will shortly be offered in the house which has for its object the repeal of the Sunday law.—New Mexican.

Pedro Perea, the redoubtable senator from Hernandez county, had a discussion with the driver of an omnibus engaged in the good-natured conversation severely chastising the John whom he accused of having attempted to run over him.

Pinto Pino, the able interpreter in the house, is one of the most untiring as well as intelligent and educated of translators. His stalwart form and stentorian tones are almost indispensable features in transacting business in the lower house.—Optic.

Hereafter the house will adopt the plan of the council, meeting only in the afternoon, the committee work being done in the morning.

Judge Webster is preparing a bill separating the office of sheriff and collector and making the county treasurer collect the taxes.—New Mexican.

Some of the members of the legislature that have spent most of their first year, and some of the members of the third house, are anxiously asking when Lindauer will be here with his Logan county bill.—Albuquerque Citizen.

The bill already introduced in the legislature if passed will save the territory from \$40,000 to \$50,000 a year, and other bills yet to come in will make the saving from \$75,000 to \$100,000 a year, and they will pass over the veto of the governor if he vetoes them this time.—Albuquerque Citizen.

A Bright Future.

From the Socorro Times.

The Lordsburg LIBERAL, one of the brightest papers in the territory, has become the property of its able editor, D. H. Keadie. The Times predicts a bright future for it.

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Wednesday morning some tramps came into the postoffice and told postmaster Miller that there was some mail on the ground down near the coal pile. Miller went down and discovered the remains of nine registered letters, which he had put in the bag the night before, and the contents of some of them, including a watch and a couple of checks. Miller says he made up the mail as usual the night before, put the registered mail in the pouch and took it over to the depot. The night operator, Sloan, says the pouch lay outside the counter on the office floor all night and that he put it on the train in the morning, and the route agent telegraphed back that the pouch was received all right. How the letters got out of the bag is at the present writing a mystery. Just how much money there was in the registered letters is not known, but Postmaster Miller says that he had \$500 in gold in one of the packages, which he was remitting to Albuquerque on the money order account. This loss will fall on Miller. The mail is handled in a very careless manner at the depot, but whether this is the fault of the rules of the department or of the railroad or owing to the negligence of the employees, the LIBERAL will not pretend to say. However, it is a fact that the mail is taken over to the depot about nine o'clock and lies on the floor of the office, outside the counter and out of the sight of the operator until the train comes. There are liable to be a good many people in the office, and if any one should want to cut the bag open the chances of detection are infinitesimal.

LETTER—The bag has been discovered and has a ten inch cut in it.

The weather the first of the week was rather severe on the exposed water pipes. In some the water was left running and they pulled through all night, the rest stood in need of a plumber. A Chinaman was observed winding his pipe with a single thickness of cotton cloth to keep the water from leaking through the heated pipe and to serve as an overcoat and prevent the water from again freezing in the pipe. His scheme is being watched with interest by the master plumbers' association.

It will be remembered that a year ago last summer a son of the well known Engineer Covey was run over and killed by a switch engine in the El Paso yard. Mr. Covey has sued the Galveston, Harrisburg & San Antonio road for damages, and the case is called for trial in the district court at El Paso for next Thursday.

The Verdict Unmistaken.

W. D. Salt, druggist, Dippus, Indiana, last fall. "I can recommend Electric Bitters as the very best remedy. Every bottle sold has given relief in every case. One man took six bottles, and was cured of Rheumatism of 10 years' standing." Abraham Barr, druggist, Belleville, Ohio, affirms: "The best selling medicine I have ever handled in my 20 years' experience, is Electric Bitters." Thousands of others have attested their testimony, so that the verdict is unmistakable that Electric Bitters do cure all diseases of the liver, bowels, or blood. Only a half dollar a bottle at W. H. Small's drug store. 25

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The Lone Jack

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From the Katon Range.

The Lordsburg LIBERAL is now owned and managed exclusively by D. H. Keadie, an able and versatile newspaper man.

Howard C. Boone of Duncan hit the lottery hard at the last drawing. He had, in partnership with Mrs. Brown, one-twentieth of the ticket which drew \$100,000. This will more than put him even on what he dropped on his friend G. Cleveland, esq., last November. Well, everybody is glad that Boone struck it. We are informed that similar tickets are to be obtained at the Eagle drug store.

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PERSONALS.

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